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In re Patent Application of	MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
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Application No.: 10/561,594) Examiner: Hoang Q. TRAN
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For: BIREFRINGENT PHOTONIC BANDGAP OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE))

STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants sincerely thank Examiner Tran and Examiner Pak for their time and consideration in participating in an interview with Applicant's representative on March 2, 2010. Applicants submit that the Interview Summary dated March 11, 2010, accurately reflects the positions taken by the Examiner during the interview.

If there are any questions concerning this paper or the application in general, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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